

**Grant #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Grantee** \_\_\_\_\_

## Recycled-Content Certification for the Waste Tire Grant Program

**Grantees:** For purchases made with grant funds only, complete the grant dollars column for each item and have each product supplier/contractor provide this information. Completed copies of these forms must be submitted to your CIWMB grant manager prior to any reimbursement.

**Product Supplier/ Contractor:** Complete this form with a row completed for each product supplied. Information on all products supplied must be included, even if the product does not contain recycled-content material. Attach additional sheets if necessary.

**Product Supplier** \_\_\_\_\_ **Contact Person:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fax** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail** \_\_\_\_\_ **Web site** \_\_\_\_\_

Quantity	Unit of Measure	Grant Dollars	Product Description	Product Category <sup>1</sup>	Virgin Content (Percent) <sup>2</sup>	Postconsumer Material (Percent) <sup>3</sup>	Secondary Material (Percent) <sup>4</sup>	Total Percent
452 tires	5424 lbs*	\$25,000	Track Surfacing	S A M P L E TD	0%	100%	0%	100%
		\$			%	%	%	100%
		\$			%	%	%	100%
		\$			%	%	%	100%
		\$			%	%	%	100%
		<b>Total:</b> <b>\$</b>						

Public Contract Code sections 10233, 10308.5, and 10354 require all vendors and contractors to certify in writing, under penalty of perjury, the minimum, if not the exact, percentage of postconsumer and secondary material in the products, materials, goods, or supplies offered or sold.

\* 12 pounds = 1 tire

Public Contract Code sections 12213, 12205(a) require all local and State public agencies to require all contractors to certify in writing, under penalty of perjury, the minimum, if not the exact percentage, of postconsumer and secondary material in the products, materials, goods, or supplies offered or sold.

*I certify under penalty of perjury that the track/recreation surfacing material provided to the above named grantee for the purpose of fulfilling the criteria for the 2002/2003 Waste Tire Track and Other Recreational Surfacing grant is manufactured from 100% California tire rubber. I understand that if an audit discloses the use of non-California tire rubber, the California Integrated Waste Management Board may request reimbursement from the above named product supplier/contractor for the tire rubber material costs.*

Printed name of person completing form

Title

Signature of person completing form

Date

(See footnotes on the back of this page.)

## Footnotes

1. Product category refers to one of the product categories into which the reportable purchase falls. For products made from multiple materials, choose the category that comprises most of the product, either by a weight or volume criteria. If the product does not fit into any of the product categories, put “N/A.”

**paper products (PP)** paper janitorial supplies, corrugated boxes, paperboard (boxes, cartons, wrapping), hanging files, file boxes, building insulation, containers

**printing and writing paper (PW)** xerographic, and higher-grade papers, high-speed copier paper, offset paper, forms, carbonless paper, ruled tablets, calendars, posters, manila file folders, index cards, white wove envelopes, and cover stock

**plastic products (PL)** toner cartridges, carpet, office products, plastic lumber, buckets, waste baskets, benches, tables, fencing, clothing, packaging, signs, posts, binders, buckets, and building products

**compost and co-compost (CO)** landscaping materials, erosion control, weed control, decomposed organic yard, or food materials

**glass products (GL)** windows, fiberglass (insulation), tiles, construction blocks, and flat glass sheets

**lubricating oils (LO)** motor, transmission fluids, power steering, crankcase, transformer dielectric fluids, gear, hydraulic, industrial fluids, base stock, for tractors, vehicles, fleet cars, trucks, and buses

**paint (PT)** latex paint, interior/exterior, maintenance

**solvents (SO)** heavy printer cleaner, auto degreaser, parts cleaner

**tire-derived products (TD)** flooring, wheelchair ramps, playground cover, track surfacing, recreational surfacing, parking bumpers, truck-bed liners, pads, walkways, tree ties, road surfacing, wheel chocks, rollers, traffic control products, mud flaps, posts

**tires (TI)** passenger, truck, bus, trailer/equipment tires.

**steel products (ST)** automobiles, trucks, staplers, paper clips, steel furniture, scissors, pipe, plumbing fixtures, chairs, ladders, shelving

2. **Virgin** material content is that portion of the product made from non-recycled material, that is, the material is neither secondary nor postconsumer material.
3. **Postconsumer** material is defined as “a finished material which would have been disposed of as a solid waste, having completed its life cycle as a consumer item, and does not include manufacturing wastes.” This is material such as newspaper that you read and was recycled and then made into recycled-content newsprint or some other recycled product. Postconsumer material is generally any product that was bought by the consumer, used, and then recycled into another product.
4. **Secondary** material is defined as “fragments of finished products or finished products of a manufacturing process, which has converted a resource into a commodity of real economic value, but does not include excess virgin resources of the manufacturing process.” This is material such as newsprint that is trimmed from a roll in the paper plant that is returned to the beginning of the process to make recycled-content newsprint. The material (product) did not get to the consumer before being recycled.  
  
Secondary material **does not** include postconsumer material. **For example**, if a printing and writing paper contained 20 percent postconsumer material, you would indicate 20 percent in the postconsumer column and 80 percent in the virgin column. If the product had 40 percent secondary material and 20 percent postconsumer material, you would indicate 40 percent in the secondary column, 20 percent in the postconsumer column, and 40 percent in the virgin column. To meet the 50/10 content requirement of another product category, the product would contain 50 percent recycled-content (40 percent secondary and 10 percent postconsumer material) and 50 percent virgin material.
5. The sum of the virgin column, the postconsumer column, and the secondary column must equal 100 percent.